

SOCIETY

To the Dreamers of Songs,

'Tis not for the beauty of singing
I'd like you remember it long,
For the leaflet of verse I'm bringing
Has only the semblance of song;
But treat it not coldly nor cruelly;
A glimpse of the meaning is shown,
As the light of an exquisite jewel,
Is seen in a covering of stone.

For the sake of your song the morning
Is brighter, and dearer the day
Seems ever with pleasure adorning,
The world in a cheerier way;
For sweet is the thought of the singing,
Of one that is gifted with song,
When musical moments are winging
To the hours that never seem long.

You are seen in the freshness of
flowers,
And heard in the carol of birds,
And you brighten life's desolate hours,
With the magical music of words;
For you live with a gentleness given
From one who is infinite strong,
To give to the living a heaven
In the love and the sweetness of song.

—Joseph W. Humphries in the Atlanta Constitution.

Present indications point to an unusual number of fashionable weddings this fall, and many of Richmond's fair young brides will plight their troth at Hymen's altar. Already one can notice a few of these prospective brides selecting their trousseaux in the Broad Street stores, and they are easily spotted by the vast amount of laces, gloves and various other articles that they are lavishly purchasing. Some of the Richmond people whose engagements have been announced are Miss Josephine Putney to Rev. William M. Dams, Miss Delaney to Mr. Malcolm Walthall, Miss Anna Lee Alfriend to Mr. George Hunkamp Warren, of Brooklyn; Miss Christian to Mr. Rene L. de Millan, of New York; Miss Lillie Powers Guest to Mr. James W. Shelton, of Louisiana; Mr. Jack de Treville to Miss Hunter, of Baltimore. Besides these will be a number of fashionable marriages in the near future.

To a certain extent a heretofore invisible rule of the "summer season" has been deviated from, and the old idea of hastening away from the seashore as soon as the middle of July arrives has proven a fallacy this season, and contrary to the custom of former years one finds the cottages and hotels at Old Point, Virginia Beach, Atlantic City, and other beach resorts, well filled and thronged with a merry crowd, who are loath to bid adieu to the splashing waters with its many allurements, and instead of obeying the beckoning call of Prudence when she points her finger in the direction of the beautiful Blue Ridge and the evening breeze to feel damp and chilly, the sun-burnt maid at the seaside with a gay toss of her head meets all objections with saucy smile and absolutely refuses to wend her way elsewhere. However, one hears glowing accounts of the round of gaiety at the springs and the Richmond maids and matrons are foremost in the gay whirl of pleasure.

Many of those who have been touring Great Britain and the continent have turned their faces homeward, and the "stay-at-homes" eagerly watch the daily papers for news of the arrivals of the various steamers in New York. Miss Maria Blair and her party have already returned, and a number of others are expected in the course of a week or two.

The various patriotic societies have plans on foot for excellent work to be accomplished during the approaching season, and Richmond will shortly be beautified with a couple of new monuments through their efforts.

The following is a list of the recently issued by the Jefferson Davis Monument Association of the United Daughters of the Confederacy:

To the contributors to the Confederate Bazaar, held in Richmond, April 14th to May 24, 1905, for the benefit of the Jefferson Davis Memorial and Confederate Museum (The White House of the Confederacy):

The Central Committee finding it impossible to thank individually the many contributors, send out this circular. It was only after all other means had failed that the committee determined to hold this bazaar, trusting to the support of the directors and regents who represent the States of the South. How well this trust was fulfilled is shown by the annexed report of returns from the States represented at the bazaar.

Official report of Mrs. Kate S. Winn, treasurer Confederate Bazaar:

Virginia..... \$3,278.00
Solid South—representing chapters from West Virginia, Indiana, California, New York city, Washington, D. C., and Indian Territory, 1,850.71
South Carolina..... 1,461.45
Tennessee..... 1,467.50
North Carolina..... 1,385.20
Kentucky and Ohio..... 1,346.40
Missouri..... 1,305.23
Georgia..... 1,059.53
Florida..... 1,002.25
Maryland..... 1,002.00
Louisiana..... 1,001.50
Alabama..... 885.00
Arkansas..... 647.31
Texas..... 630.20
Restaurant..... 1,044.34
Door..... 1,475.73
Paper badges, private contributions and interest..... 1,579.28

Total receipts..... \$23,442.09
Expenses..... 1,428.71
Amount cleared..... \$22,013.38

Of this amount, \$15,000 is placed to the credit of the Davis monument, thus swelling the sum to \$85,000; the remainder goes to the Confederate Museum. The monument is an assured success. We congratulate each State, each individual, on such splendid results.

We thank you again for the noble support given to the Central Committee, and ask, in our "Lost Cause."

Mrs. N. V. RANDOLPH,
Chairman Central Committee.
Mrs. Edgar D. Taylor, treasurer.
Mrs. B. A. Blenner, secretary.

Mrs. C. W. P. Brock was the delightful hostess at an informal game of whist Wednesday evening last. Two tables engaged those present, being Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Bland Smith, Mr. John Tyler, Miss Josephine Knox, Miss Matie Harris, Miss Claire Guillaume and Mrs. A. M. Tyler.

Mrs. Smith and Miss Knox made top score. After the game the players adjourned to the dining-room and enjoyed a fruit feast with Dr. and Mrs. Brock.

The engagement is announced of Miss



MISS SUSIE EDWARDS.

Phebe Houson Clark and Mr. Will Wheeler Mulford, Miss Clark is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, of Banister Lodge, Halifax county, and a descendant of Governor Spotswood and Patrick Henry. Mr. Mulford is a Harvard graduate and a son of the late Rev. Eliza Mulford, of the Episcopal Theological School of Cambridge, Mass., who was a distinguished writer on the philosophy of politics and the author of a well known book called "The Nation."

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Lella Thompson, of No. 405 West Marshall Street, to Mr. C. E. Loehr. The ceremony was performed last June in Baltimore, and only a few friends were told of it.

Mr. Loehr is in the insurance business, and is the son of C. T. Loehr, who for many years has been associated with the Virginia Fire and Marine Insurance Company. The young couple are at present living at the bride's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Hewitt are members of a very charming house party at the beautiful home of Mrs. E. P. Williams, at Riverton. The other guests are: Miss Maud Brock, of Riverton; Miss Jessie Peyton, of Front Royal; Miss Mary Williamson, of New Market. The friends of Mr. Hewitt will be gratified to learn that he is recuperating his health very rapidly and is greatly improved.

On Tuesday, September 15th, the Board of Lady Managers of the Retort for the Sick will give one of their select excursions to the Natural Bridge, one of the wonders of the world. This superb structure, not made with hands, is on the western slope of the Blue Ridge mountains, and in the center of a single of Virginia. It is composed of a single block of limestone, 235 feet high and 100 feet wide, with a span of 90 feet. The walls are smooth, as if cut with chisels, and there is no sign of displacement. Under it men look like boys, and trees like bushes. The Peaks of Otter, in full view and within easy riding distance, are among the most famous mountains east of the Mississippi.

The excursionists will leave Richmond September 15th at 10:30 A. M., and return September 16th at 6:30 P. M. The price of the ticket is \$5.50, which covers all expenses.

Personal Mention.

Mr. Plummer F. Jones, who is spending the summer preaching in Albemarle and Buckingham, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Jones will return to Richmond in September to resume his studies at Union Theological Seminary, where he expects to graduate next May.

Misses Lucy and Lila DuVal, of Annapolis, Va., spent yesterday in the city.

Established a Century Ago.

Engagement RINGS.

We make a specialty of Engagement Rings, which are of the very finest quality. Our stock comprises Solitaire Diamonds of almost every size. Also Rubies, Emeralds, Sapphires, Opals, Pearls, &c., set with diamonds.

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JEWELLERS,
SILVERSMITHS,
STATIONERS.

1107 Pennsylvania Avenue,
Washington, D. C.



MISS NAOMI LOUIS FORD.

New York. She will visit Niagara, Toronto and other places of interest before returning to Richmond.

Mrs. Charles I. McKee and little son are at home again, after a delightful stay at Otterburn Springs.

Mrs. B. F. Gaskins and little daughter, Gladys, are back from visiting friends in Goodland.

Miss Gertrude Hart has returned to her home from Montreal, where she has been

for several weeks. Miss Hart accompanied her sister, Mrs. W. H. Davis, who was forced to return to the city on account of illness.

Miss Katherine James Christian is visiting friends near Drewry's Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Wood left Friday for Wilmington, N. C., where they will make their home in future.

Mrs. Shaddy and little son, of Keyville, are the guests of Mrs. Emmett Thomas, on Harvie Street.

Mrs. W. H. Wood and child and Misses Lila and Myrtle Scott are at Clay Bank, Gloucester county, Va.

Miss Mary Hayes was aboard Blau II, the yacht of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dick, of Philadelphia, during the race between the Shamrock and the Ralliance yesterday.

Miss Gertrude L. Wingfield, of Home Place, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. George A. Wingfield, have returned home after a pleasant stay at West Point, Va.

Mr. B. Bernard Burton, accompanied by Mr. Walter F. Jackson, left yesterday for a pleasure trip to New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Mrs. James H. Scott, of No. 705 West Grace Street, is recovering from a malaria attack at Mountain Top, Va. Her friends will be glad to learn that she is not suffering from typhoid fever, as erroneously stated.

Miss Ruth Perkins, of Richmond, and Miss Beattie Gilliam, of Farmville, are at the home of Mr. P. H. Gilliam, in Harrisonburg.

Miss Nora Langhorne, daughter of Mr. C. D. Langhorne, is visiting Miss Edna Hutter, on Daniel's Hill, Lynchburg.

Miss Eva Rippan, of Chertlon, Va., who has been visiting her uncle, Mr. Henry Rippan, of Church Hill, will return home on Sunday after a most delightful stay of three weeks, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Rippan and little daughters, Grace and Nelda.

Mr. H. A. Atkinson and Mrs. Lett S. Moore left yesterday afternoon for Hampton, where they will be the guests of Judge Sidney J. Dudley.

Mrs. J. P. Davis, of No. 706 North Twenty-sixth Street, left yesterday to visit relatives in Andersonville, Buckingham county, and will return in ten days.

Mrs. A. J. Liles and Miss Annie Wasner are visiting their sister, Mrs. Joel Jolie, of Washington, D. C., and later will spend some time with Mrs. James Reed at Orange Courthouse.

Mrs. Dr. Lee W. Staton and son, Lewis, will return home next week after several weeks with Mrs. William Gray, of Vontay, Va.

Miss Emma Helfert is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Ritter, of Chesterfield, Va.

Little Misses Agnes and Marie Helfert and their brother, Bernard, are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ritter, of Chesterfield, Va.

Miss Lizzie Wolf has returned home after a delightful trip in the Blue Ridge and Alleghany mountains.

Miss Bettie Gilliam, who has been spending some time in Albemarle, at Mountain Top, is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Wing, Prince Edward county.

One of the most charmingly attractive and lovely girls at the White Sulphur is Miss Mary B. Marshall, of Washington. Miss Marshall is a cousin of Miss Allene Stokes, of Richmond.

Mrs. Floyd Hughes, of Norfolk, is at the Sweet Chalybeate. Master Charles Brook Hughes and little Miss Virginia Hughes are with Dr. and Mrs. Brock in Richmond.

Miss Fannie Ford, of No. 712 Twenty-seventh Street, has returned after an extended visit to friends in the mountains of Virginia. Miss Ford had a most delightful stay.

Miss Mayme Mason and Miss Tillie Helfert, have returned to the city after a delightful visit to her brother, Mr. Warren James Mason, of Portsmouth, Va.

Misses Nellie Johnson and May Temple, who have been spending the summer at Cuckoo, Louisa county, returned to the city last evening very much benefited by their visit to the country.

Mrs. August Buckner and little daughter,

What we Advertise we Sell.
What we Sell Advertises us.

E. T. FAULKNER CO.,
The Daylight Cash Store.

WE ARE AGENTS FOR STANDARD PATTERNS.

Your Money Cheerfully Refunded on Any Purchase not Entirely Satisfactory.

Our Great August Clearance Sale

Continues With Still Lower Prices.

Monday to Be the Greatest Bargain Day.

A LINEN SALE. August Prices.	A LINEN SALE. August Prices. (CONTINUED.)	A LINEN SALE. August Prices. (CONTINUED.)
Bleached Bath Towels for..... 4 1/2c	Half Bleached Damask, 64 inches, for..... 39c	Checked Doilies, red and blue, 39c
Huck Towels, hemmed, for..... 10c	Mercerized Damask, 64 inches, for..... 48c	Colored Bordered Doilies 48c
Bleached Bath Towels for..... 10c	Dinner Napkins, three-quarter size, for..... 75c	Bleached Doilies, all linen, 48c
Huck Towels, red border, 20 by 40 inches, for..... 12 1/2c	Dinner Napkins, three-quarter size, all linen, for..... 98c	German Linen Napkins, \$1.39
Turkey Red Damask, fast color, or, at..... 25c	Dinner Napkins, a sample linen of three-quarter size at greatly reduced prices.	good size, \$1.50 value, for..... 98c
Half Bleached Damask for..... 25c		
WASH GOODS. Clearance Prices.	WHITE GOODS SALE. August Prices.	DOMESTIC SALE. August Prices.
Blue Lawns, were 6c, for..... 23 1/2c	Fine Lawn, 40 inches wide, 5c	Bleached Cotton 36 inches wide, 5c
Sheer Batiste, that sold at 11 1/2c to 15c, for..... 5 1/2c	Striped India Lin, was 12 1/2c, for..... 73 1/2c	Unbleached Cotton, worth 7c, for..... 5c
Good styles in Sheer Summer Fabrics, that sold as high as 15c, for..... 6 1/2c	10c Organdies, per yard, 8 1/2c	Bleached Cotton, soft finish, worth 8 1/2c, for..... 6 1/2c
Solid Color Mercerized Chambray, a regular 25c quality, for..... 10 1/2c	10c Cannon Cloth for..... 8 1/2c	Pillow Cases, 40 inches wide, for..... 12 1/2c
Brown Linen, fine quality, a regular 15 number, at..... 12 1/2c	12 1/2c Fine India Lin, 40 inch, for..... 10 1/2c	Bleached Sheet, 2 1/4 yards wide, for..... 18c
Black Duck, with white dot, in three sizes, for..... 10c	Pique, medium weight, worth 12 1/2c, for..... 9 1/2c	White Quills, good size, for..... 59c
A 25c Figured Dimity, the best patterns, for..... 12 1/2c	18c Pique, narrow, 10, for..... 12 1/2c	A White Spread, that is special, for..... 75c
		A \$1.25 Spread, large size, for..... 98c
SECOND FLOOR DARGAINS. August Prices.	LACES AND EMBROIDERY. Special Bargains.	AUGUST PRICES ON REMNANTS.
Ladies' 12 1/2c Gauze Vest 8 1/2c	Embroideries, narrow and wide, 5c	Light Calicoes, the 5c kind, 37 1/2c
Cambrie Corset Covers 10c	All-Linen Laces, special, 10c	Simpson Black Calicoes 37 1/2c
Lawn and Percale Waist, was 39c, now..... 30c	Wide Embroideries, were 10c, now..... 10c	Colored Batiste and Lawns 37 1/2c
Percale Shirt-Waist Suit, was 75c, \$1.00, now..... 75c	17c Point de Paris Laces, 10c	Dress Gingham, good coloring, 5c
Gingham Skirts, were 80c, 69c now..... 69c	12 1/2c Embroideries, were 10c, cheap, at..... 10c	12 1/2c Dress Gingham, checks and stripes, for..... 77 1/2c

ENTICING MENUS ARRANGED FOR TIMES-DISPATCH READERS.

MONDAY, AUGUST 24.	WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26	FRIDAY, AUGUST 28
Breakfast. Fruit. Maple-Flake Sugar and Cream Creamed Eggs French Fried Potatoes Corn Bread Coffee	Breakfast. Fruit. Glutted Cried Sugar and Cream Creamed Beef Saratoga Potatoes English Muffins Coffee	Breakfast. Fruit. Malta Vita Sugar and Cream Pann Fish Potatoes au Gratin Muffins Coffee
Lunch. Sliced Cold Beef McIlhenney's Tabasco Fruit Short Cake Cocoa Dinner. Onion Soup Haricot of Mutton Rice Balls Tomato Salad Squash Wafers Tapioca Custard Coffee	Lunch. Veal Salad Alpha Dressing Cake Cocoa Dinner. Normandy Soup Chicken Fricassee with Dumplings Lima Beans Boiled Rice Egg and Lettuce Salad Wafers Lemon Ice Coffee	Lunch. Fried Egg Plant McIlhenney's Tabasco Fruit Cocoa Dinner. Salmon Loaf Potato Soup Mashed Potatoes Hollandaise Sauce Tomato Mayonnaise Buttered Beef Wafers Grape Sherbet Coffee
TUESDAY, AUGUST 25.	THURSDAY, AUGUST 27	SATURDAY, AUGUST 29
Breakfast. Fruit. Raisin Barley Food Sugar and Cream Hamburg Steak Creamed Potatoes Entire Wheat Gems Coffee	Breakfast. Fruit. Shredded Biscuits Sygar and Cream Panned Tomatoes Baked Potatoes Sally Luncheon Coffee	Breakfast. Fruit. Iston Breakfast Food Sugar and Cream Killed Ham Delmonico Potatoes Pop Overs Coffee
Lunch. Meat Boulettes Tomato Sauce Cucumber Salad Iced Tea Dinner. Beef Soup Stuffed Shoulder of Veal Mashed Potatoes Baked Egg Plant Escarole French Dressing Wafers Cheese Peach Pie Coffee	Lunch. Chicken Cups Pim Olas Milk Biscuit Tea Dinner. Broiled Cops Rice Soup Baked Corn Pudding Mashed Potatoes Lima Beans Boiled Rice Wafers Cheese Peach Pudding Coffee	Lunch. Potato and Cucumber Salad Cocoa Dinner. Tomato Soup Brown Sauce Leaf Cannelloni Spinach Mashed Potatoes French Dressing Wafers Sliced Peaches Coffee
Breakfast. Fruit. Honey Grits Sugar and Cream Broiled Tripe Latticed Potatoes English Muffins Coffee	Breakfast. Fruit. Roast Duck Currant Jelly Crisp Potatoes Browned Turnips Wafers Cold Slaw Coffee Ice Cream Rolls	Supper. Dotted Clams McIlhenney's Tabasco Cakes Pars Sandwiches —From Table Talk.

gaged as elocutionist for the chautauqua to be held there August 21-23.

Miss Puller spent several weeks this summer in Byron King's School of Oratory, in Corry, Pa., and later filled a week's engagement for chautauqua work in Loudoun county.

Mrs. E. Victoria Williams and daughter, Miss Louise, are spending the summer at Castine, Maine, while Miss Adele Williams is with a party of artists at Old Lyme, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Foster leave tomorrow for a visit to their old home at Columbia.

Miss Fannie Gilliam leaves this week for a visit of several weeks to relatives in New York State.

Mrs. Lottie H. Gasser left Thursday with an excursion party to visit Niagara Falls, Toronto, Watkins Glen and other Northern cities.

Miss Pansy Haney, of Church Hill, is visiting relatives in Prince Edward county, where she will remain until September 15th.

Misses Lucy and Emily Armistead have returned to Richmond after an absence of several months, the former touring the North, and the latter the South, and now have as their guests the Misses Nelson, of Louisville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Kritzer, children and niece, Miss Maggie Koye, have returned to North Carolina after a visit to their sister, Mrs. A. L. Walton. They were accompanied by Miss Eva Walton.

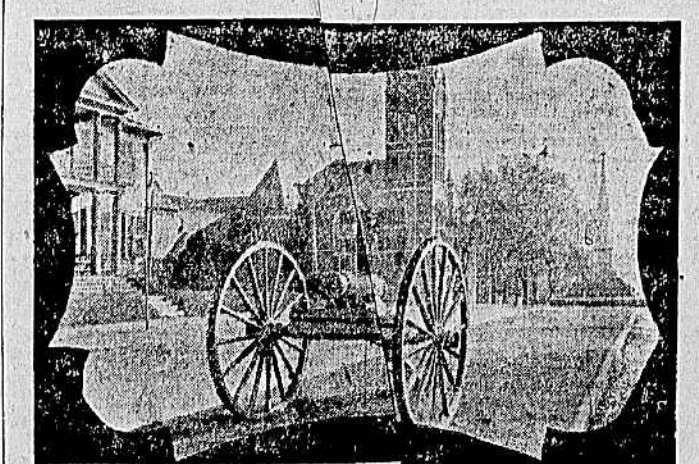
Misses Imogen and Annie Parrinhot, after a pleasant stay of two weeks at Virginia Beach, are now visiting friends in Gloucester county.

EXCURSION TO DURHAM AND RALEIGH, N. C.,

August 25th, via Southern Railway Company, \$2.50 Round Trip.

Special train will leave Richmond 9:45 A. M. August 25th for Durham and Raleigh, through Keyville, Chase City, Clarksville and Oxford. Returning, leave Raleigh 11:30 P. M. August 26th. Only \$2.50 for the round trip.

DOUBLE-BARRELED CANNON ONLY WOUNDED INVENTOR



(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ATHENS, GA., Aug. 22.—A double-barreled cannon, the only one in the world, is one of the relics of this Georgia city. It was designed immediately after war was declared and is the work of John Gillespie, who was an iron worker in one of the foundries here at that time. The cannon was to be loaded with heavy iron balls of a non-explosive nature, to which were to be attached a long stout chain, so that when the balls were discharged simultaneously the chain would spread out and mow down whole regiments. Gillespie carried out his plan in casting the cannon and when it was finished he invited a number of his friends to a hillside on the outskirts of the city to see it work. These friends displayed wisdom enough to remain at a safe distance from the cannon. When all was in readiness, the powder rammed home and the balls with chain attached placed on top, Mr. Gillespie lit the fuse, but only one barrel went off. The ball and chain shot